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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

## SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ) CASE NO. 21-cr-00212 JD  
Plaintiff, )  
v. ) STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER  
PHARADJA ANDREWS, ) CONTINUING STATUS HEARING REGARDING  
Defendant. ) SENTENCING FROM MARCH 17, 2025, TO  
 ) SEPTEMBER 15, 2025

On May 25, 2021, Defendant Pharadja Andrews was charged in a one-count Information with conspiracy to commit health care fraud, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1349. Dkt. 1. Andrews waived her right to be charged via Indictment and on August 30, 2021 pled guilty to the charge pursuant to a cooperation plea agreement. Dkt. 3, 10. Defendant Andrews currently is set for a status conference regarding sentencing on March 17, 2025. Defendant Andrews is out of custody.

Defendant Andrews is a cooperating witness in *United States v. Simon Katz*, Case No. CR. 21-310 JD. The Katz matter is set for trial starting May 12, 2025. Defendant Andrews is a potential witness in the Katz trial; therefore, her next status hearing regarding sentencing should be set for a date after the Katz trial.

Counsel for the United States and Defendant Andrews have met and conferred and respectfully

1 request that this Court continue Defendant Andrews's status conference regarding sentencing to a date  
2 approximately six months after the Katz trial, to Monday, September 15, 2025. Further, because  
3 Andrews has already pled guilty there is no need for an exclusion of time under the Speedy Trial Act.

4 IT IS SO STIPULATED

5 DATED: March 10, 2025

Respectfully submitted,

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7 PATRICK D. ROBBINS  
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9 /s/  
10 CHRISTIAAN H. HIGHSMITH  
Assistant United States Attorney

11 DATED: March 10, 2025

12 /s/  
13 PHILIP SCHNAYERSON  
Counsel for Defendant Pharadja Andrews

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2 **[PROPOSED] ORDER**  
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4 Based on the stipulation of the parties and for good cause, the Court hereby ORDERS that the  
5 status hearing in this case currently set for March 17, 2024, is continued to September 15, 2025, at 10:30  
6 a.m.  
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8 IT IS SO ORDERED.  
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